Overbridges/underbridges in Jharkhand

†*296. SHRI AJAY MAROO: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of flyovers/underbridges under construction in Jharkhand;

(b) the details of proposals submitted by the Government of Jharkhand for construction of flyovers/underbridges on railway crossings;

(c) the details of steps taken by Government thereto;

(d) whether the State Government have itself borne half of the expenditure incurred on the same; and

(e) if so, the details of the amount thereof?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI LALU PRASAD): (a) to (c) There are total 20 Road Over/Under Bridge (ROB/RUB) works sanctioned on Cost Sharing basis in State of Jharkhand. No firm proposal fulfilling the requisite criteria as per extant rules has been received in 2005-06 so far.

(d) and (e) State Government is bearing the 50% cost of the work as per extant rule for taking up works of construction of ROB/RUBs on cost sharing basis. The details of expenditure incurred by State Government as their share of cost is maintained by them. The details of ROB/RUB works sanctioned in State of Jharkhand alongwith the share fo Railway and State Govt. is given as under:

(Rs. in lakhs)

S.No	Name of work	Year of sanction	Railway share	State share
1	2	3	4	5
1	Daltonganj-Kajri ROB in lieu of Level Crossing (LC) No. 13-B/E at Km. 287/3-5	2002-03	282	282
2	Phusro-Amlo Road Over bridge in lieu of LC No. 12-A/T at Kms. 29/11-12	2002-03	604	604
3	ROB (2 lane) at Km. 269/11-13 between Dokra-Dhanbad in replacement of LC No. 18/B/T	2002-03	756	756
4	ROB (2 lane) at Km.276/12-14 between Bhuli-Tetulmari in replacement of LC No. 3/A/E	2002-03	374	374

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

1	2	3	4	5
5	ROB (2 lane) at Km. 272/24-26 between Dhanbad-Bhuli in replacement of LC No. 1/BT	2002-03	754	754
6	ROB (2 lane) at Km. 320/17-19 between Parasnath Chegro in repalcement of LC No. 15/A/T	2002-03	384	384
7	ROB at Koderma station in lieu of Lc No 34/A/T at Km 393/5-7 in Dhanbad division	2003-04	641	677
8	ROB in lieu of Lc No 6/B/T at Km 156/8-9 in between Ray-Khalari	2002-03	569	569
9	ROB (2 lane) at Km. 243/17-19 between Thaparnagar-Kalabuthan in replacement of LC No. 8/A	2002-03	292	314
10	ROB (2 lane) at West end of Jasidih station between Simultala-Jasidih in replacement of Lc No. 30/B/T at Kms. 323/36-37.	2002-03	677	677
11	ROB (2 lane) near Pakur station in replacement of LC No. 38 at Kms. 272/24-26	2002-03	250	273
12	Chakradharpur-ROB in lieu of LC No. 170 at Kms. 312/25-27 Chakradharpur	1993-04	199	206
13	Kharkhari-Khanodih ROB-Rebuilding of ROB No. 441/A	1999-00	68	71
14	Ranchi-Lohadaga (NG)section Road over bridge between Ranchi Piska stations near Dibadi Chowk at Km. 422/2-3	2002-03	275	812
15	ROB at Km. 378/519-521 between Chandi-Manikui station in replacement of LC KS-10 of Sini-Chandil section	2002-03	743	793
16	ROB at Km. 390/57-59 between Kunki-Kandra station in replacement of LC No KS-6 of Tata Muri section.	2002-03	446	446
17	ROB at Km. 213/21-23 between Ghatsila-Goludih station in replacement of Level crossing (LC) No 12-C of Tata-Kharagpur section	2002-03	525	525
18	ROB at Km. 419/13-23 between Ranchi-Hatia stations in replacement of LC No MH-31 of Ranchi Hatia section	2002-03	893	893

1	2	3	4	5
19	ROB between Namkum-Ranchi station in lieu of LC No. MH-26 at Km 419/12-13	2002-03	743	793
20	Tatanagar-ROB in lieu of existing ROB No. 29/A at Kms. 249/638 at Tatanagar	1999-00	367	*364
	TOTAL		9842	10567

Note: State Govt. share is to be borne by M/s. TISCO.

Delhi-Lahore Samjhauta Express

*297. KUMARI NIRMALA DESHPANDE: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the condition of Delhi-Lahore Samjhauta Express is far from satisfactory;

(b) whether it is a fact that no facilities are available to passengers at Attari station;

(c) if so, what steps are being planned to make this travel more comfortable;

(d) whether it is also a fact that passengers have to wait for hours at Attari and Wagha;

(e) whether this time can be reduced; and

(f) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI LALU PRASAD): (a) and (b) No, Sir.

(c) Does not arise.

(d) Passengers have to wait nearly 5 to 6 hrs. for completing the international travel formalities.

(e) Not at present, Sir.

(f) International travel formalities such as customs, immigration and security checks are taking nearly 5 to 6 hrs. to clear all the passengers.